

FAT SUBSTITUTESABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention concerns fat substitutes that
5 are compounds, which are fatty acids whose yield energy
from beta-oxidation is sufficiently low so that the
compound is rendered metabolically low caloric or non-
caloric, or a physiologically acceptable ester thereof
or a metabolic precursor thereof. The compounds of the
10 invention may be used as fat substitutes, either alone
or in combination with other fats or in food
compositions, and the like.

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